

5 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : TBA
10 Applicant : Takashi KAWAI
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 Title : IMAGE-TAKING APPARATUS AND MONITORING SYSTEM
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15 Examiner : TBA
 Docket No. : 1232-5222

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

20 PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, entry of the following Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

25 **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 this paper.